

The Players

By Harry B. Hunt

A bit of gossip about some of those who are in the limelight at the Nation's capital.

COUZENS is being worked on by the "social bloc," which tames the wild members.

GILBERT is somewhat dubious as to the candidates for the presidency.

OWEN is to retire from the senate and go back to his Oklahoma farm.

WHEELER of Montana is a fighter who has been hunting for a lot of scraps.

WASHINGTON.—The "Social Bloc" is busy again. This time it is not after an "outsider," whom it can bedazzle with a view of the riches that can be enjoyed in Washington by one who is "in right," but one whom it feels should, because of his very wealth and influence, naturally fall within its charmed circle. Said individual becoming not less a person than James Couzens of Michigan, who probably possesses more millions than any other man in the United States senate.

Couzens, however, is understood to recognize the net that is being spread to tame, through social entanglements, some of his "irregular" views on the subjects of taxation, public ownership and similar issues close to the hearts of those who are socially mighty here.

Being a human individual and a gentleman, Couzens at first accepted graciously, though by no means enthusiastically, the invitations to dinners, receptions and affairs that recently have been pouring in on him. But so heavy has become the social barrage, particularly since his set with Secretary Mellon over the administration tax reduction program, that Senator Jim is understood to be about ready to put on the brakes. He recognizes the game that is being played and is ready to pull out.

Not that he fears the bloc can snare him. He just doesn't want to raise their hopes unjustifiably. Nor waste the time!

Clinton W. Gilbert, who wrote "The Mirrors of Washington," has been peeping in all the looking glasses about the capital recently to see if he could catch a glimpse of an ideal candidate for president in 1924.

Apparently the candidates in the field are an uncouth bunch, who don't use mirrors in making up for the public, or else they are afraid to face themselves and Gilbert in the glass, for he sums up the result of his quest thus tersely:

"I could count up the ideal candidates for president this year on the fingers of a man who had both arms shot away in the late war."

Senator Robert L. Owen of Oklahoma might just as well purr "Americanism" than any other member of the senate. He is the one senator boasting a strain of Indian blood, being descended, through his mother, from the Cherokee tribe.

Despite his 68 years, Owen is one of the youngest members of the senate, in appearance. Straight as an arrow, erect, with the still handsome face of an Indian brave, Owen is one of the striking figures in congress.

Although he has served Oklahoma in the senate ever since the gained Statehood, Owen announces he will not fight for re-election this year. He expects to settle down in Muskogee after March 4, next, tend a home garden and devote his time to urging adoption of a simplified method of amending the constitution. And he defies anyone to prove him "un-American" because he thinks it should be amended.

The most dangerous fighter in the United States senate, from a psycho-analytical standpoint, is Wheeler of Montana, the young member who forced through the resolution for an investigation of Attorney General Daugherty.

When Wheeler gets into a scrap—and he's already headed into a number of them—his first impulse is to get peevish. He doesn't get peevish. He doesn't pound his desk and wave his arms and rant.

Instead, he grins, and his smile is like a barb in the hide of his opponent, stinging him, goading him, baiting him to rash retort. If the psychologist is right in saying "Look out for the man who smiles when he fights," his opponents had better look out for Wheeler.

INVESTIGATION OF CHARGES WELCOMED

ATLANTA, Ga., March 13.—An investigation of charges contained in Washington dispatches and attributed to Congressman W. D. Upshaw of Georgia that "killed" favoritism, an millionaire immunity, has been granted wealthy bootleggers at the Atlanta Federal prison, will be welcomed. Warden A. E. Sartain of the penitentiary declared today.

HOUSTON SCHOOL DESTROYED BY FIRE

HOUSTON, March 13.—Fire of unknown origin early this morning destroyed the Houston Heights junior high school building. The loss is estimated at \$65,000. There were 600 pupils attending the school.



The Weather
Oklahoma: On Friday and Saturday, generally fair, warmer.
East Texas: On Friday, generally fair, Saturday partly cloudy, warmer.

JOINT RECEIVERS FOR TEAPOT DOME HAVE BEEN NAMED

One Represents the Government and the Other Looks Sinclair Rights

THE PROCEEDING WAS WHOLLY PERFUNCTORY

No Opposition Was Made to the Men Selected by Attorneys Appearing in Case

CHYENNE, Wyo., March 13.—Federal Judge T. Blake Kennedy today granted a temporary injunction halting further development work by the Mammoth Oil Company on the Teapot Dome reserve.

Two receivers were named to take control of the Teapot Dome oil reserve. Judge Kennedy ruled after hearing argument of opposing counsel.

Rear Admiral Joseph Strauss of the United States navy, had been requested by the government counsel as receiver pending the outcome of the litigation and A. E. Watts, vice-president of the Sinclair Consolidated Oil Corporation had been named by the defendants. They were appointed.

Granting of the injunction followed the filing by Alton Pomerehne and Owen J. Roberts, special government counsel, of a bill in equity, seeking annulment of the Teapot Dome lease to Harry F. Sinclair, and the Mammoth Oil Company of the ground of fraud and irregularity.

Judge Kennedy granted the defendant's thirty days in which to plead in answer to the government complaint.

No date was set for further hearing in the case. Opposing counsel stated that on account of the involved nature of the action it would be impossible at this time to state when they would be ready for further hearings.

Details of the injunction and receivership will be set forth in an opinion rendered by counsel for the government and which will be signed by Judge Kennedy after its revision in part.

Pipe line and storage facilities and the pump station and working men's quarters, property of the Sinclair, Pipe Line Company, and 17 storage tanks belonging to the Sinclair Crude Oil purchasing corporation are excluded from the receivership.

Government counsel asked that these properties be excluded as operation of some of them would be essential to disposal of oil imported by the receivership.

The temporary injunction halts the drilling of new wells and the receivers will be directed to continue the operation of the wells and equipment only to such extent as he shall deem necessary to prevent loss or damage.

GRAND JURY HAS STARTED INQUIRY

Bribery Cases Involving Members of Congress Said to Be Before Special Body

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Grand jury proceedings were begun here today in the case of the two members of congress referred to in a recent Chicago grand jury report as having improperly accepted money.

Assistant Attorneys General Davis, Whitebrandt and Seymour appeared, by J. W. H. Crim, special assistant in charge of the case, in presentation of the evidence.

One of the witnesses called was Elias H. Mortimer, who was a central figure in the veteran's bureau investigation here some months ago, and who also appeared before the Chicago grand jury.

JAPAN BANISHES SINCLAIR AGENTS

(Associated Press)

TOKYO, March 13.—Japanese military authorities have frustrated an attempt by J. P. McCullough and D. P. McLaughlin, American surveyors representing Sinclair oil interests, to enter the northern section of the Island of Sakhalin.

The authorities have taken the two on a Japanese gunboat from Sakhalin to the port of Otsu in Hokkaido, it became known today.

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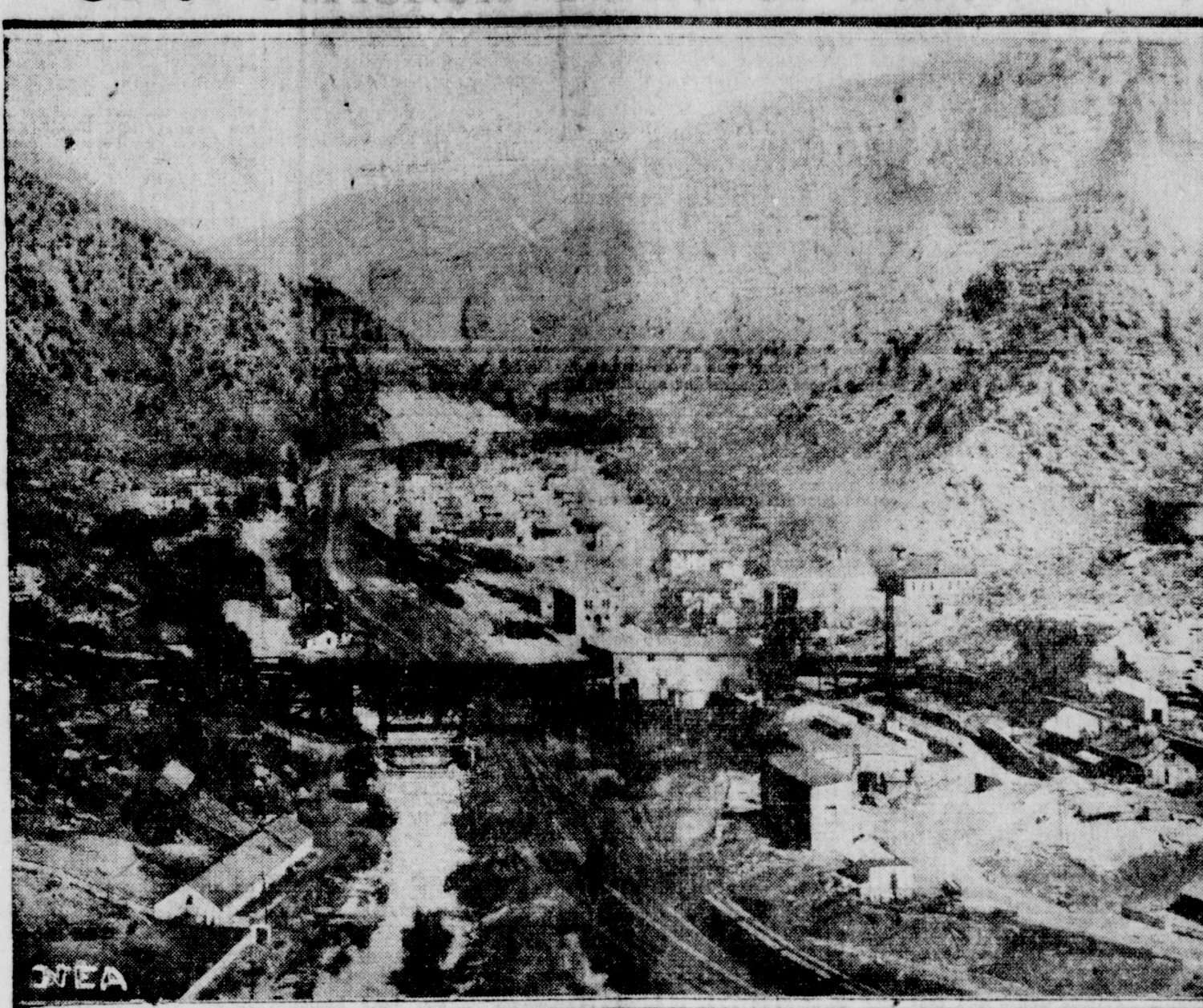
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Grief Stricken Town of Castle Gate



General view of Castle Gate, Utah, where a terrific mine blast last Saturday took a toll of 175 lives. The tipple shown in the center serves both No. 1 and No. 2 mines. The explosion occurred at No. 2, located about one mile from the tipple.

THE PUBLIC DEBT MUST BE REDUCED

Secretary Mellon Opposed Plan for Eliminating the Provisions Thereof

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 13.—Secretary Mellon today opposed a proposal to decrease the fund supplied for the reduction of the public debt as a means of making greater surplus available for tax reduction.

He pointed out that the money paid by England and other nations on their loans to this country must be applied under the law to the retirement of the bonds which made possible the loans.

The present law would make it possible, he said, to retire the public debt of twenty billion dollars in ten or fifteen years.

Chairman Smoot supported Mr. Mellon's views.

Further consideration will be given tomorrow by the committee to conditions of the treasury and the secretary of the treasury will be asked to testify. Upon the completion of this study, which will attempt to determine the amount of revenue which must be raised next year, to meet the actual operating expenses of the government, the rate schedules of the house revenue bill will be taken up.

Revision of many of the rates which were reduced by the house bill will be necessary lest a treasury deficit result, Secretary Mellon has told the committee.

CLEMENCY FOR THE MILITARY PRISONERS

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 13.—The special army board investigating cases of military prisoners indicated today in a preliminary report that it would recommend clemency for a considerable number.

The board reported that it was "impressed in numerous cases especially those of first offenders, with the fact that the men had learned their lessons and further confinement would not improve their condition."

Many Indictments Against S. Glenn Young at Herrin

Small Fires Have Baffled Efforts to Bring Out All of the Victims

(Associated Press)

HERRIN, Ill., March 13.—The special grand jury which has been investigating the killing of Constable Caesar Cagle and the wounding of Deputy Sheriff John Layman, with the incidental firing into a hospital, today returned more than a hundred indictments, of which 55 are against S. Glenn Young, paid employee of the Ku Klux Klan.

The charges against Young included assault to murder, conspiracy, kidnapping, false imprisonment, larceny and other alleged offenses.

The grand jury asserts that Young, whom it designates as being not a citizen of Herrin, had assumed to take over government of the city by falsely imprisoning the duly elected officials and his action was vigorously denounced.

Sam Stearns, exalted cyclops of the Marion Klan, and Carl Neilson, exalted cyclops of the Herrin Klan, John Ford, chief of police, and Paul Stephens are among those against whom true bills were returned.

The killing of Cagle, a member of the Klan, and the wounding of Layman, who was opposed to the Klan, were the direct result of a series of raids made under the direction of Young upon anti-klansmen under the guise of breaking up bootlegging and other alleged crimes and misdemeanors.

Resistance was made by the anti-klansmen, and when city officers were carried for treatment to the hospital that building was looted and the inner safe, which contained the city funds, was broken into.

Many sick persons were there, escaping with only about \$150 in money. Troops were finally sent here and cash and papers from several safe-deposit boxes, which were being removed from the city hall, were recovered.

Hot Springs, in Central Arkansas, reported a three-inch snowfall; at Texarkana, in Southeastern Arkansas, the ground was covered to a depth of two inches and Helena on the eastern border of the State reported one inch early in the forenoon with no abatement of the storm.

Northern Louisiana and Mississippi were experiencing today a snowstorm which in some sections broke records of years standing. Greenville, Miss., reported the first snowfall in March since 1892 while Shreveport, La., where the fall began at 9 o'clock this morning, had half an inch on the ground at 1:30 p. m. even though the temperature was nearly 40 degrees.

Monroe, La., reported a heavy fall which 2 1/2 miles east, at Meridian, Miss., on the Alabama state line, the fleecy flakes were falling with mid-winter regularity. At Jackson, Miss., sleet this afternoon turned into snow.

To add to weather conditions, a storm in the northwestern part of the Gulf of Mexico was doing its bit. Storm warnings were displayed on the Texas and Louisiana coasts.

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The storm left a blanket of snow over the panhandle and the plains country while snow, sleet and rain fell over other parts of the State. The temperature was mild.

Lubbock reported three inches of snow and Childress from six to seven inches. Greenville two inches of snow and Childress from six to six inches. Rain, snow and sleet fell at Marshall and Sulphur Springs.

Rain fell in Southern Texas. Brownsville reported precipitation throughout the Rio Grande valley as far as Pecos county.

MANY BODIES ARE YET IN THE MINE

Small Fires Have Baffled Efforts to Bring Out All of the Victims

(Associated Press)

CASTLE GATE, Utah, Mar. 13.—Several small fires continued to burn this morning in Mine No. 2, Utah Fuel company. Only two bodies—bringing the total recovered to 139—had been taken out since last night.

According to official list 173 men went down in the mine Saturday when the three explosions occurred and 43 miners are unaccounted for.

Small Fires Have Baffled Efforts to Bring Out All of the Victims

BRANDON, Texas, March 13.—No clues have been discovered today by authorities here in the robbery of the Farmers State bank.

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Daugherty in Many Deals with Smith

Divorced Wife of the Suicide Told what She Said was Information which had been Given Her as to Money-Making Schemes

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Mar. 13.—More "deals" of highly sensational nature, all represented as involving Attorney General Daugherty, were alleged today before the senate investigating committee.

Again Miss Roxie Stinson, the divorced wife of the late Jesse W. Smith of Washington Courthouse, O., attorney general's "bump" and friend, was the witness, relating with accompanying insinuations and inferences the story she said Smith had confided to her concerning "the deals" in which Smith and the attorney general were engaged.

The "deals," according to Miss Stinson, ran the gamut from oil films, whisky, stocks and parole for a Federal convict.

The most specific allegation of Miss Stinson's testimony today was that Smith told her he was acting as a broker between Attorney General Daugherty and certain motion picture companies seeking to exhibit the pictures of the Carpenter-Dempsey fight without incurring prosecution under the law forbidding the transportation of such films in interstate commerce.

Smith told her, she testified, that the "deal" proposed that Daugherty subject it to no prosecution and that in return "we" (Daugherty and Smith) would receive \$180,000.

"Whether that was consummated or not I do not know," she said.

From that Miss Stinson's testimony jumped into another "deal" Smith, she declared, told her what was on between Daugherty and Colonel James G. Darden, said to be the president of the Mutual Oil company.

Darden, as testified to by Miss Stinson today, had been, according to Smith, "trying to get through some loose some way through Washington prior to this administration." As a result of conferences at the "mysterious little green house" on K street in Washington and at the "shack" near Washington Courthouse, occupied jointly by Smith, Daugherty and others, Smith and Daugherty each gave Darden \$2400 for investment, according to the story Miss Stinson said Smith had related to her.

Then, according to the same story, details of which she did not know, "they" dropped Darden, with whom she testified "they" had a deal in oil property out West.

Smith, she testified, had told her that if this deal proved out the way they had planned that they would make a lot of money. The committee decided to add its efforts to the oil committee in an attempt to subpoena Darden.

From that point in her testimony she jumped into an alleged "deal" to get parole for a "Mr. Solomon," a brother-in-law of the actor, Joe Weber.

Miss Stinson testified that she was in New York with Smith when he met Weber. Smith and the actor, she said, discussed the possibility of getting a parole for Solomon. Their conversation she said was about "fixing it with Daugherty."

"Was there any reference to any money transaction in it?" asked Wheeler.

"He (Smith) said," testified Miss Stanton, "that he (Weber) is awfully cheap to want something for nothing; I don't know whether we can do anything for him or not."

The senator told of meeting Smith in Washington Courthouse, where he had just arrived from Washington with seventy-five one

thousand dollar bills in a belt around his waist. Where he got it he didn't tell her, she said, and she could not fix that date.

Senator Wheeler wanted to know if Miss Stinson knew of any specific deals in which Daugherty and Smith had engaged. She said that she knew of no specific deals but that she knew "just generally." But added "they had plenty of liquor at their disposal."

What Smith told her about which Miss Stinson said related to the withdrawal of whisky from warehouses without Federal permits. Her informant had not been very definite. The withdrawal was during the first days of the administration, which got afraid of it, she said.

As a result of her testimony, Senator Wheeler of Montana, the committee prosecutor, announced he would call Edward B. McLean, publisher of the Washington Post, and Mal Daugherty of Ohio, the attorney general's brother.

Among other things, committee members want to know whether there was any attempt on the part of friends of the attorney general, as has been suggested in information reaching the committee, to avert Miss Stinson's appearance on the witness stand.

Before the committee met today Attorney General Daugherty issued another statement declaring the investigation "could be fully and finally disposed of in a week or ten days" if only "pertinent inquiries" were made.

The attorney general wrote Chairman Brookhart protesting against issuance of committee subpoenas for Gaston B. Means and Thomas B. Feider, on the ground that they would receive immunity under indictments pending against them at New York.

Miss Stinson said before the committee, but some members were disposed to insist upon hearing Means and Feider. They are under indictment in connection with the "little green house" case, and their testimony is desired in connection with transactions of Jess Smith.

Mr. Daugherty's counsel asked that subpoenas be issued for Mal Daugherty, John Priest, former attorney general of Ohio; James W. Holcomb, and Henry T. Ellis of Cleveland; Samuel Underleider, Mrs. R. A. Hayes and E. H. Moore of Cleveland.

Senator Wheeler said the subpoenas probably would be issued but the incident resulted in another brush between him and Mr. Howland, in which Senator Wheeler again reiterated that Mr. Howland, the attorney general's counsel, would not "run" the investigation.

Senator Ashurst declared that the subpoenas might as well leave now, that it was not "running the committee" and said he had not forgotten an "insult delivered last night here" by Howland.

The senator added that Mr. Howland was "not going to run any bluff here."

Miss Stinson's testimony started with reference to the "little green house" on K street, she said, she was not familiar with Washington and would rather not answer questions about it.

"It was purely personal," she said, "it is absolutely of no consequence."

She reiterated, however, that Smith had told her of meeting the attorney general there. She said "different senators and important people" had conferences in the "house."

"Do you know who occupied it?" asked Senator Moore.

"I think it was one of Mr. McLean's. I'm not sure about that," she said, she did not know of the purpose of the conferences there, but Smith had told her the house was used for private conferences where they would not be disturbed.

Department of justice appointments were considered there, she said, and people making appointments went there, she was told.

Senator Wheeler went back to the Carpenter-Dempsey fight. Miss Stinson said the proposition was that transportation of the films was a legal violation, and of the films could be transported without prosecution, "they" were to receive \$180,000.

"Whether that was ever consummated I do not know."

Mr. Smith told her that Daugherty would see there was no prosecution.

"That was the deal," she said.

Certain "picture companies," unnamed, she said, were to be in negotiation with Smith, he told her. In reply to a question, she said Smith was the co-between for the attorney general and the picture companies.

Reverting to the "insult" account of Smith's with the "insult" account of the Smith-Daugherty agreement in Washington, she said "considerably over \$50,000."

"They were interested in three jointly and he thought he could pay his part from the remuneration," she continued.

Mal Daugherty, the attorney general's brother, was attending hearing and Miss Stinson devoted to see he had told him she had determined to "tell the truth."

"Isn't that so?" she inquired, calling to Daugherty.

"Does the committee want me to answer that?" Daugherty demanded.

Senator Wheeler waved to him not to reply.

The eleven thousand dollar account with Underleider & Co., which Mal Daugherty took over as executor of Smith's estate, was brought in.

Daugherty had told her, Miss Stinson said, that it really belonged

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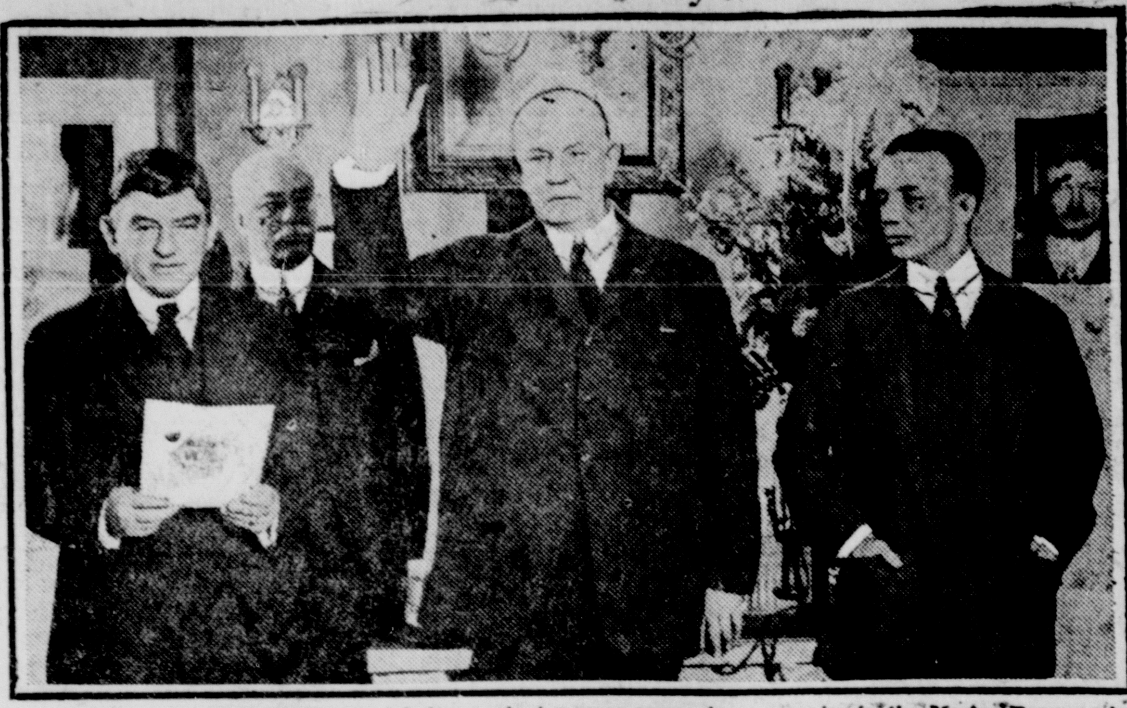
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give unto you, That ye love one an-
other, as I have loved you, that ye
also love one another. By this
shall all men know that ye are my
disciples, if ye have love one to
another.—John 13:34, 35.DISAPPOINTMENT TO
THE TAXPAYERIt may be true, as stated by
John Garner and Senator Robin-
son, Democratic leaders, that the
president recommended a hurried
action with regard to the 25 per
cent cut in the income taxes for
1923 with a view to having an
opportunity to veto the revenue
measure now pending in the sen-
ate after having been passed by
the house, and at the same time
retaining advantage of having
brought about a reduction in the
Federal taxes.Nevertheless, there is going to
be nationwide disappointment to
the taxpayers; and if it be (and
that is yet to be demonstrated)
that Mr. Coolidge sought only
partisan advantage in his action,
he has attained that point; for
the democrats are going to be
held responsible for the lack of
action by most of the disappointed
ones notwithstanding that the
republicans are equally guilty.The taxpayers had been led to
expect—even to anticipate—the
reduction in time for their March
15 statement and payment; and
that they did not get it has caus-
ed a lot of woe and grief to many
of them as well as to the internal
revenue department; which is
now swamped with the returns
which might as well have been
mailed several weeks ago.AN ANALYSIS BY
MR. MELLONThe analysis of the pending
revenue measure by Secretary
of the Treasury Mellon is worth
the study of every business man;
for it gives in brief and under-
standable form a summary of the
chief points in the revenue meas-
ure—which is the official name of
the tax bill—now pending in the
senate.Mr. Mellon is deemed an expert
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because of the manner in which
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partisans seek for advantage.Well may the taxpayer quote
Shakespeare and declare, "A
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Certainty of a bad thing is bet-
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quickly that the industrial and
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and to the end that they may
shape their plans and proceed
with the business of the Nation
along some definite line.It is further illustration of the
fact that the business man—
meaning merchant and farmer,
banker and stock raiser, manu-
facturer and producer of whatever
sort—should become interested in
politics and compel such reform
as will bring about consideration
for the Nation rather than an
eternal seeking for political and
partisan advantage over other
partisans.Tokio, before the earthquake
and consequent fires, had an area
of 374 square miles of two-story
wooden buildings.

His Last Day



Secretary of Navy Denby, just before resigning, was sworn in as a major in the Marine Reserves by General John A. Lejeune (left). Theodore Roosevelt, assistant secretary of navy, is shown on right.

A LATE START FOR
THE COTTON CROPWeather Map Had a Little In-
fluence upon the Upward
Movement of Prices

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 13.—The
cotton market opened firm at an
advance of 9 to 23 points and held
about 23 to 24 points net higher
during the early trading on cover-
ing and fresh buying inspired by
unfavorable weather reports from
the Southwest.According to these advices it
was showing in Oklahoma and
parts of Texas with rains in other
sections which threatened further
delays in farm work. There were
many telegrams predicting a late
start for the crop. May sold up
to 28.70 after the overnight selling
orders had been absorbed, and
October advanced to 25.55.Liverpool made a fairly steady
showing. Private cables said that
buying there had been restricted
by yesterday's weakness in New
York but there was a good spot
demand and a good business in cot-
ton goods in Manchester.The demand created by the
Southwestern weather "news ap-
peared to have been supplied on
the early advance and the market
was easier later under renewed
liquidation prompted by reports of
a continued dull trade in cotton
goods.Offerings were very light and
after the afternoon market turned
upward on covering and Liverpool
and New Orleans buying.

Futures closed steady.

Open High Low Close

Mar. 28.25 28.52 28.05 28.52 28.02

May 28.50 28.94 28.30 28.75 28.30

July 27.75 28.22 27.65 28.03 27.63

Oct. 25.50 25.68 25.35 25.51 25.32

Dec. 25.10 25.25 25.02 25.15 25.01

Previous close.

REPORTS FROM GOODS

MARKETS BEARISH

NEW ORLEANS, March 13.—

The cotton market opened higher

on better Liverpool cables than

due, an exceedingly bad weather

map further strength in French

francs and very bullish British ex-
ports of cloths and yarns during
February. First trades were 20
to 27 points above the previous
close. The weather map showed
general rains and much snow with
easterly as far South as Meridian,
Miss.The market eased off 13 to 20
points soon after the start on the
execution of overnight selling or-
ders and then showed a disposition
to rally again.After a moderate rally which
carried May to 28.55 and July to
27.87 or 2 to 5 points above the
earlier high the market again
turned easier. The selling was
purely of a professional character
mainly by ring scalpers, but it
carried May down to 28.35 and JulySHORTS ON FRANCS
HAVE BEEN CAUGHTFrench Government's Move Has
Sent the Price up Nearly a
Cent Quickly

(Associated Press)

NEW YORK, March 13.—For-
tified by the \$100,000,000 credit
established here for the Bank of
France, the French franc mounted
15 points to 4.35 cents at the open-
ing of today's foreign exchange
market and then soared another
11 points to 4.46 cents. The rise
following earlier gains in London
was accelerated by a rush of short
covering.

WILSON BONDS WERE

THROWN ON MARKET

NEW YORK, March 13.—The
strength of French bonds and the
heavy liquidation of Wilson & Co.
issues were outstanding move-
ments in today's irregular market.
French bonds displayed marked
buoyancy in the early dealings,
gaining from 1 to 2 points. Specu-
lative uneasiness over the action
and new financing to be taken to-
day was reflected in uncertain price
movements of the company's
bonds.

GRANULATED PRICE IS

NOW UNDER FIVE CENTS

NEW YORK, March 13.—Raw
sugar was quiet and unchanged
today. Spot prices were
quoted at 7.03 duty paid. Sales
of 10,000 bags of Cubas were made
for prompt shipment.Raw sugar futures showed con-
siderable weakness under selling by
commission houses, prompted by
the decline abroad.The market for refined was
easier. Time granulated was listed
at 8.60 by one refiner, while others
quoted from 8.75 to 8.90.

SOUTHERN DIVIDEND

REASSURING FACTOR

NEW YORK, March 13.—In-
auguration of dividends on South-
ern Railway common brought a
strong buying support in today's
stock market, which moved to
higher ground. Bullish operations
were encouraged by the overnight
announcement of the \$100,000,000
bank credit to France, easy money
rate and favorable trade reports.
Sales approximated 700,000
shares.

WHEAT LOWER ON

GENERAL OUTLOOK

CHICAGO, March 13.—Weak-
ness in wheat intensified and the
market fell lower than at any
time since August 7. Bullies re-
sulted from estimates that 2,000,
000 bushels of Canadian wheat had
been bought for shipment to Eu-
rope.The closing was unsettled 1-2c
to 7-8c net lower, May 1.96 and
July 1.06 5-8.

HOGS ABOUT STEADY

ON LIGHT RECEIPTS

FORT WORTH, March 13.—

Thursday's livestock receipts were:

Cattle 1000; calves 500; hogs, 1-

500; sheep 400.

Hogs, best medium weight 7.25

to 7.45; good mixed 7.00 to 7.25;

good light 6.75 to 7.00; fair mixed

6.50 to 6.75; fair light 6.00 to

6.50; common 3.50 to 5.00; pack-

ing pigs 5.00 to 6.25; pigs 2.50

to 5.25.

CORN UNSETTLED AT

THE SAME PRICES

CHICAGO, March 13.—The corn

market rallied on account of the
smallness of receipts and closed
unsettled at the same as yester-
day's finish to 1-4 and 1-8 cent
lower with May 73 3-4 to 7-8 to
79 7-8 cents.

KENYON SAYS HE IS

NOT FITTED FOR JOB

(Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, March 13.—

Federal Judge Kenyon today stated

that he is not fitted either by
training or inclination to be sec-
retary of the navy and he has de-
clined tender of the appointment
by President Coolidge.The portfolio will now be tender-
ed to Curtis D. Wilbur, chief jus-
tice of the supreme court of Cal-
ifornia.

TROUBLE IN GETTING

SEALS FOR NEW CARLS

(Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Texas, March 13.—The

State highway department has had
trouble in securing
numberplates recently; and offi-
cers all over the State have been
requested to be lenient with new
cars which are not so ornamented.

BONHAM MAN IS TO BE

SANITARY ENGINEER

(Associated Press)

AUSTIN, Texas, March 13.—Edgar

Wheeler now consulting engineer
of Bonham, has been named as
district sanitary engineer for
Northeast Texas by the State
health department.

Mrs. Lucas of Tunbridge, Kent

England, is the mother of twenty-
one children.

The above is an exclusive photo of the only women colonels in the U. S. Army. They are, left to right, Colonel Maxine Brown and Colonel Elsie Janis. Both titles were earned for the enterprising and recruiting work of the two beautiful women. Photo taken in New York.

GOOD MUSIC AT
LIONS MEETINGMr. and Mrs. Day, Mrs. Rabb
and Mrs. Stokes Supplied
Entertainment FeatureWith snow variously estimated
at from six to eight inches deep,
and business practically at a stand-
still, there was a fair attendance
at Lions upon the regular weekly
meeting yesterday.O. W. (Web) Boswell, the de-
voted secretary of the club, had
ventured up in the wilds of Pan-
nina county, and about 23:30 a
telegram was received from that
worthy that he was snowbound and
could not get back to Paris. All of
which being true, there was no sec-
retary to guide the club yesterday.
However, despite the handicap
imposed by the weather there was
a fair attendance and a really
excellent program. Robt. Coleman
had charge of the program for the
day and lined up a wonderful lot
of acts.The final offering was Mr. and
Mrs. Day, and they were forced to
rescind to an encore. On a snowy
day Mr. and Mrs. Day sang a
marvelous song a number en-
titled "A Gray Day." So vocifer-
ous was the applause following
their musical numbers Mrs. Day
pulled an original stunt by imitat-
ing a Hawaiian orchestra. A
Hawaiian orchestra, as heard in
the United States, consists of a
ukelele, a double-barreled steel
guitar and a lot of other music.
She successfully imitated a Ha-
waiian orchestra, so successfully in
fact that one being outside of the
room would have thought that some
of the natives of the Pearl of the
Pacific were playing for the edifi-
cation of the assemblage. And she
did all of this by the sound eman-
ating from her nose, assisted by
her fingers.Mrs. Fay Rabb with a violin
solo, was accompanied by Prof.
Sam Reed who directs the Grand
Theatre orchestra and the Grand
Theatre band. Prof. Reed, by the
way, played the accompaniment
for Mr. and Mrs. Day. Mrs. Rabb's
solo was the signal for an encore,
and it was a short one. She is a
talented musician, of whom the
city of Paris is proud.The last and concluding number
on an already good program was
a reading by Mrs. Stokes entitled
"The Road to Mandalay." This
number was splendidly rendered,
with an expression and a feeling
that stamped the lady as a real
artist in her line.During the hour's session Mr.
White, manager of the Hudson-
Davis Co., was elected to member-
ship in the Lions. Mr. White is a
man whom any club should be
proud to claim as a brother mem-
ber. He possesses pen, ability,
and an unbounding belief in the
city of Paris and its future. It
is needless to say that he was
unanimously elected to member-
ship.

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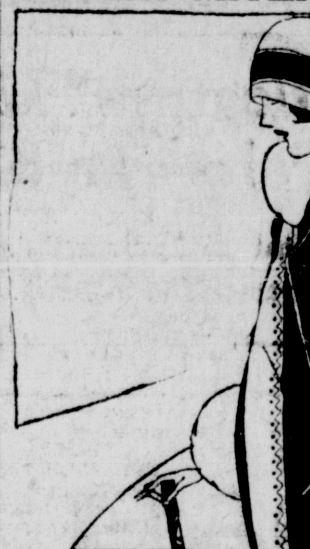
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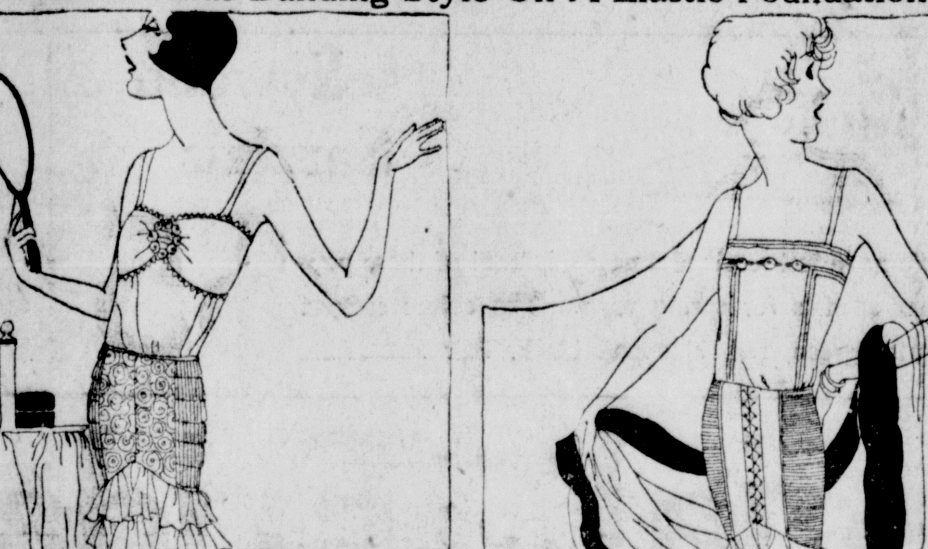
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MODISH MITZI

You may think Mitzi remarkable for the clothes she wears. But that is not all. Notice her slim figure. How flat in front. How flat in back. How well she seems to fit her clothes. But it doesn't all just happen to be that way. A great deal of the effect is due to her corset.

Recommends Building Style On A Elastic Foundation

Here you see Mitzi in a girdle of elastic and brocade. It has no boning. The front fastens with hooks and eyes. The side has strips of elastic. It is a corset for a youthful figure. Half the success of any gown ought to be given to the corset, is Mitzi's opinion.

Polly has such an entirely different figure from Mitzi's that we are showing the kind of a corset Polly wears best. It's almost all elastic with a small strip front and back, of coutil. The lacing is in front. Polly knows there is no need for worrying about looking plump, now.

Adelaide wears an altogether corset and brassiere. It is of striped coutil. It has two little inserts for boning. (That's so the boning can be removed when the garment is laundered.) The sides of this corset-brassiere are split and have elastic insets.

By JAY V. JAY

:-SOCIETY:-**A Surprise Birthday****Diner at Tollett**

Grandmother Ward was surprised with a birthday dinner last Monday, March 10. For the last several years her friends have come in with many good things to eat and spend the day with her.

Mrs. Ward makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Bettie Stone.

Mrs. Ward has eight children, thirty-eight grandchildren and sixteen great grandchildren. Besides the children, grand children and great grandchildren present, there were eight friends who carried dinner.

Mrs. Hardy Hancock will direct the study of Eugene O'Neill's drama, "Gold."

There were three big tables full of good things to eat, several boxes were sent to friends and sick people. A nice box was sent to Miss Bettie Mae Chron, teacher at Tollett.

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a meeting this afternoon at 3:00 at the home of Mrs. E. H. McCuiston, 136 North Eighteenth street.

Legion Auxiliary Postponed

The meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the American Legion which was to have been held yesterday afternoon with Mrs. M. F. Drummond was postponed until next Thursday.

Friday Friendship Club to Meet

The Friday Friendship Club meets this afternoon at 2:30 at the home of Mrs. W. L. Hutchinson, 402 Lamar avenue.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. D. McIntosh of Upshur county are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Turlington.

Mrs. Berta Berry and Mrs. Eula Bell of Detroit were in Paris shopping Thursday.

Constable Robard and wife of Ladonia were Paris visitors Thursday.

G. F. Rucker, a former resident of Lamar county, was in Paris Thursday from Ladonia. He used to farm on Blossom prairie.

W. A. Lackey of McAlester, Ok. was in Paris Thursday.

J. T. Norris was in the city Thursday night from Detroit.

KELL TO PRESENT BRANDED WOMAN**Dramatic Company to Be Seen Tonight in Feature Program of the Week**

With tons of snow piled high on the canvas top of Kell's Comedians tent theater yesterday it was necessary to lower the entire structure to the ground, and after the snow had been removed and the tent reconstructed, it was too late to present the performance scheduled for the evening.

Tonight, however, all is in readiness for the feature bill of the week, "The Branded Woman," the play with a reputation which insures merit, and in the hands of the company of excellent players, Paris people will be enabled to see it at its best.

The Comedians have been playing to large audiences all week with the good selection of dramas and clean vaudeville numbers, and tonight points to a real climax of their presentations.

If you need a service car call 268.

ELEVEN HENS LAID DOZEN EGGS IN DAY

E. Couch, a local breeder of fancy barred rock chickens, reports he has a breeding pen of 11 pullets which laid 12 eggs last Tuesday. He says that they are certain of the count that they laid all together the day before and that there was no possibility of other pullets getting into the pen.

There have been a few such reports of one hen laying two eggs in one day appearing in the press occasionally, but it is an extremely rare occurrence.

SPRING TIME

Let us make over your Panamas, sailors and felt hats; or make you a new one to measure for less money. Call 135 for your cleaning and pressing. We call for and deliver. Nobles Tailoring and Hat Shop, 23 Clarksville street.

Scott is back on the job.

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Cedar Grove Services

Rev. P. E. Mize will preach at the Cedar Grove Baptist church near Shady Grove Saturday night and Rev. H. N. Simmons, the pastor, will occupy the pulpit Sunday morning and Sunday night.

GLASSES THAT PLEASE

If the examination is accurate and the lenses perfect, your glasses are sure to give you satisfaction. We are experts in fitting satisfactory glasses.

S. R. LAWRENCE, Optometrist.

The day population of the Woolworth building in New York is 14,000.

Compressed air shovels have been found great time savers in cramped places.

About one-fourth of the United States wheat crop of 800,000,000 bushels in 1923 was for export.

The unpaid interest on the debts of Europe to the United States amounts to more than \$1,500,000,000.

The United States army bakes bread for 2 cents a loaf, superior to that sold the public for 9 and 11 cents.

The son of Harriet Beecher Stowe fought in the war between the North and South.

Electric Shoe Shop

24 Clarksville St. Phone 208

EXPERT COOK TO COME TO PARIS**Mrs. Chitwood Conducts Cooking Schools for Texas League of Newspapers**

(Associated Press)

DALLAS, March 12.—The Texas newspapers comprising the Texas Daily Press League plan to have uniform cooking in the State and have already put their plans into operation by engaging Mrs. Ida Chitwood, nationally known expert on cooking, to conduct a series of cooking schools throughout the State.

Under the Press League's plans a traveler can get the same kind of a meal in Texarkana as he can in San Angelo or in any other city where Mrs. Chitwood conducted a school.

Mrs. Chitwood has already started her series of schools and has conducted them at Waco, Sherman, Texarkana and Cisco. The school lasts one week in each town.

The famous culinary expert gives lectures and demonstrations on every phase of the art of cooking, from boiling a potato to making the delectable of cakes and salads. Her demonstrations show just how much of this and just how much of that to put into a dish to make it appetizing and delicious. She gives recipes for making delicious foods, demonstrating the making with an actual preparation of the dish.

Reports from the places where Mrs. Chitwood has conducted schools indicate that the plan is receiving almost unanimous cooperation of the women in those communities. It was reported in the Texarkana Four States Press that, "Possibly the largest attendance that has ever been present at any cooking school held in Texarkana" was present at one of Mrs. Chitwood's lessons.

Each Newspaper of the Press League is sponsoring the school in its particular town. The rest of the series of schools and the papers sponsoring them follow: Amarillo, The News, March 10; Denton, Record Chronicle, March 17; Brownwood, The Bulletin, March 24; Denison, The Herald, March 31; Hillsboro, The Mirror, April 7; Cleburne, The Review, April 14; Marshall, The News, April 21; Terrell, The Transcript, April 28; Paris, The Morning News, May 5; Corsicana, The Sun, May 12; Bonham, The Favorite, May 19; San Angelo, The Standard, May 26.

W. W. West Grocery

Everything in fancy and staple groceries, fresh vegetables and condiments. Quality and service. Ring 951.

A Nebraska woman, suing for divorce, petitioned for custody of the family cow.

BOAT LUNCHEONS AT HILDEBRAND'S.

Three thousand merchant vessels on the Japanese flag.

Iodine is used as an aid to curing ills of elephants at the London zoo.

Less than one two-billionth part of the heat output of the sun falls upon the earth.

The first goldfish in France came from China as a present to Mme. de Pompadour.

The people of the United States have paid \$6,000,000,000 for automobiles.

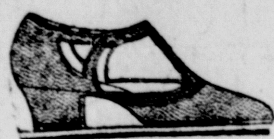
BIG SNOWSTORM ENVELOPES PARIS**Although it Came in the Lap of Spring it Was the Heaviest in Years**

A great many people in Paris were greatly surprised when they awoke Thursday morning and looked out of the window on one of the coldest and most dismal snow scenes ever represented in a picture. There was a heavy mantle that covered the ground to a depth of several inches and a setting of the broscope, awnings and the drapery of the trees and cast of the skies presented a perfect picture.

The snow began to fall at 2 o'clock in the morning and lasted until nearly noon. Nobody had any idea at bedtime that it was going to snow or that the ground was cold enough for it to stick. The snow was conceded by everybody to have been at least six inches on the level, while a number of persons claimed that it was an 8 inch snow and that it had stuck from the time it began to fall. It would have been a fog deep.

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NEW! That's the feature of our offerings. We have the most complete assortment of new things in Paris. That fact is drawing customers from every section of North Texas—The Store of New Things.



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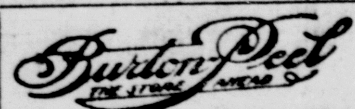
\$5

Men's "Whitleather" Lisle Socks—4 Pairs for \$1

Men's "Whitleather" lisle socks that stand wear as their name suggests. Black, white, gray, cordovan and Palm Beach. Excellent values at 4 pairs for **\$1**

Toilet Goods

Cashmere Bouquet Toilet Soap **10c**
Colgate's Dental Cream **23c**
Mennen's, Mavis, Arabian, Mary Garden
Talcums **19c**
Cot's Face Powder **88c**



Special for Friday and Saturday



Two Big Specials In Men's Shirts

Men's new spring shirts in pretty percale, collar attached and detached styles. New and popular patterns.

\$1.35—3 for \$4

New shirts in popular striped patterns, satin striped madras. Neckband styles with French cuffs. Special—

\$1.35

Union Suits

Simplex and Wilson Bros. union suits of pajama check material.

\$1—3 for \$2.75

Work Clothes

Men's good quality blue work shirts for only **69c**
Good grade, full cut blue overalls **\$1**
Jumper to match **\$1**

Challis 19c Yard

New 36-inch cotton challis for Friday and Saturday. Yard for only **19c**

Toile Du Nord 29c

Here is a chance to save 6c a yard on Toile du Nord. Regular price the world over is 35c.

Think of the saving for Friday and Saturday at **29c**



Coats for Utility Wear

\$12.50 \$16.50
\$18.50

For Spring wear a utility coat is an absolute necessity. It will also be a pleasure when you wear one of these. Solid, stripe and plaid effects in gray and tan.

Shirt Blouses for Spring \$2.50

Pretty dimity shirt blouses in checked and striped dimity. Peter Pan Collars, front ruffles, dainty embroideries and colored stitching only adds to their beauty. Priced **\$2.50**

Slip-Over Sweaters \$3.95

For the street or sports costume, with the skirt and waist, these slip-over sweaters are a handsome addition. They are pretty—in blue, white, tan, jade, and brown. Priced **\$3.95**

New Spring Sports Skirts \$4.95

Many new models, including the popular tailored styles with side pleats, Tan and gray plaids, navy blues and other stylish colors. Priced **\$4.95**

Percales 19c

New spring percales in pretty patterns such as stripes, dots, floral, checked, printed and figured. All of Spring's light shades. Save 6c a yard Friday and Saturday by buying this percale Friday and Saturday at **19c**

Ratines 98c

Novelty ratines and satin striped crepes, in blue, gray, golden, bisque.

Solid color ratine in powder blue, orchid and geranium. Extra Special, yard **98c**

Cotton Goods

Bookfold percales **10c**

Spring gingham, apron and dress checks and plaids **15c**

Yard wide brown domestic. (Limit 10 yards to customer) Yard **10c**

Yard wide bleached domestic, good quality. (Limit 8 yards to a customer.) Yard **12½c**

27-in. apron checks... **12½c**

9-4 bleached sheeting good grade. (Limit 5 yds.) 2½ yds. **\$1**

Pretty New Summer Hats \$2.50

—MEXICO —BROWN
—GREEN —GRAY
—BLACK —BLUE
—RED —TAN

You will be surprised when you see these unusually smart hats at this unheard of price.

Trimmed with flowers, fruits and ribbons. Remarkable values for Friday and Saturday at **\$2.50**

A Shipment of

New Spring Hats for Children \$1 to \$8.50

MATERIALS TRIMMINGS

—Leghorns —Flowers
—Milans —Ribbons
—Tagal Braids —Embroidery
—Straw Cloth —Ostrich Tips
—Bangkoks

For the younger misses these hats will have particular favor for they are unusually attractive, and each one is well worth the price.

A Special Purchase

Leather Boston Bags

Think of buying a leather 14- or 16-inch Boston bag, in black or brown for only

\$1.48

Ratine 79c

A real Friday and Saturday special is this ratine offering. Regular \$1 quality, yard **79c**

Dress Linen 95c

Extra quality pre-shrunk non-crushable best quality dress linen in all the new spring colors. Yard **95c**

Weldrest

All Pure
Silk
Chiffon
Hose



A chiffon stocking is usually considered expensive, but not so with these Weldrest stockings at this price in many new spring shades.

Crepe Gray
Gunmetal
Ooze
Cordovan
Russian-Calf
White

\$1.25

Picture Frames \$1

Easel

Style

As an inexpensive, yet effective frame for the photograph you are planning to keep or to send as a gift you will want one of these frames. In gold or silver finish. You will have to hurry to get one at only **\$1**



New Neckwear

Collar and Cuff Sets

These are brand new and will find a welcome from all women because of the attractiveness of the pieces.

To brighten up spring garments nothing could be more suited for these pieces suggest the arrival of spring in their very newness.

See them in our Special Friday and Saturday showing, priced at **59c**

CLASSIFIED ADS

Rebate—One insertion, 1c a word; minimum, 15c; 3 insertions, 2c a word, minimum, 30c; 6 insertions, 4c a word, minimum, 60c.

PERSONAL

Two bargains in second hand clothing; alterations and mending; cleaning and pressing. S. S. White, 141 Bonham street; phone 241.

POSITION WANTED

YOUNG man with one year's experience as a mail carrier, grocery clerk, and as a clerk. Address: 141 Bonham street, phone 241.

AGENTS WANTED

SALESMEN—Of agents wanted, men and women, wanted, canvassing, selling, to sell house lots in Paris to home people on easy terms, all or part time, good pay. Splendid chance to learn the real estate business and travel for the largest lot selling company in the U. S. See Mr. Cullingham at 1230 O'Connell Hotel, 1230 to 1:00 o'clock.

WANT TO BUY

WANTED—Broader stove in good condition. Phone 1942-J.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Fruit trees, roses, shrubbery, evergreens. Terrell Nursery Co., 12 W. Central, salesmen; one block south of plaza on Paris. Grocer Co. vacant lot.

PIANO FOR SALE in good condition; price \$75. Phone 9047-J.

FOR SALE OR RENT

FOR SALE OR RENT—2 acres of land, burglar house at Reno, check for cash; 32 acres good land, barn, house and pasture, 10 or 20 acres block, north of Reno. See W. A. Crenshaw at Reno.

WANT TO TRADE

TO TRADE—Span of good mares for an automobile. Apply to Estes Farmer, Pattonville, Texas.

FOOD PRODUCTS

GUN BUBANK meat market, No. 7 South 1st street, for roasts and steaks, fine cuts, meats, fresh fish, fat young hens and fryers, good home made chili. Phone 486.

BABY CHICKS

ENGLISH white leghorns, M. Johnson stock, baby chicks 17½¢ each, delivered; eight weeks old pullets 50¢ each, eggs 5c each. Harry Wilson, Brookston, phone 8007-F4.

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BARRID ROCKS—They lay when eggs are high; they weigh when you want to sell; they win first prize in the show. Eggs \$2.50 for 15. E. Couch, phone 1083-J.

PLANTS AND SEEDS

FULL line of field and garden seeds at our store, corner Kaufman and 21st streets. Mallory's Seed & Feed Store.

CORN, HAY, ETC.

FOR SALE—40 tons good prairie hay. See Dr. Maxwell.
Soy corn (shuck on) \$1.10
Ear corn (shuck off) \$1.05
Maze heads \$30.00
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This is good dry large ear corn. Special prices for cash. Delivered anywhere. Paris Fuel Co.

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A GOOD SIRE is half the herd; a scrub is all of it. If you want to raise better cows, see Ed H. Moulton, who sells purebred Jersey sires.

FOR RENT

75 ACRES mixed black land 7 miles northeast of Paris, one third and fourth; 20 acres flat broke. 1 pair good mules for sale. M. H. Moore on place. Geo. D. Carlock, Rt. 2, Honey Grove.

MULES FOR SALE

MULES! MULES! MULES! at mule barn, corner of Houston and 17th streets. See J. W. Wood.

MONEY TO LOAN

FARM LOANS
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Lowest Interest Rates
REES & JONES

L. Neal Duncan, Hugh L. Palmer MONEY to loan on good farms at low rates of interest. Also handle Real Estate and write Life Insurance. See us in Bank Building, 65-66 Lamar Avenue. Telephone 684.

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We make the quick satisfactory kind. Sperry Brothers Company, Sperry Bros. Bldg., 324 South Main street.

HOUSES WANTED

I HAVE a practically new 1923 Dodge touring car in perfect condition that I am offering at a bargain for cash or will trade on a good five room house that is well located and reasonably priced. See Reagan Hart at The News office.

HOUSES FOR RENT

FOR RENT
One 6 room house, with sleeping porch, servant's room and garage, also garden.
Mrs. J. N. House, phone 922.

HOUSES FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Airplane bungalow, 7 rooms, all conveniences, on paved street and car line; has garage and garden. Address by letter "Bungalow" only.

LEGAL NOTICES

SEALED bids will be received by the city of Paris at 7:30 o'clock p. m. on March 17, 1924 for the construction of a four foot concrete sidewalk on the east side of South Seventeenth street in front of the property of Mrs. J. A. Burke and Annie Lee Sanders according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the city engineer. The city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids. J. W. Dewese, mayor; Attest, W. G. George, city secretary.

O. K. SHOE SHOP
Specializing on Shoe Repairs
By using No. 1 materials and first class workmanship, it makes our work possible. We are well equipped, you can see it. We also have a fine line of work and dress shoes for men. We are looking for you. 35 Lamar avenue. W. H. Harte & Quinn, Props.

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Product One
(East of South 22nd, South of Clarksville street, includes the First Ward, of Paris.)
GEORGE TERRY
TOM HARVEY
CHARLEY KING
JEP TAYLOR

Product Two
(South of Bonham, west of Twentieth streets, including Ward 2 of Paris.)
J. J. BEVIL
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FRANK TUGWELL
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JAY WILSON

Product Three
(Including Third Ward of Paris and extending to north limit of the county.)
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B. E. (ED) BONHAM

Product Four
(North of Clarksville street and East of North Main.)
GUY STEPHENS
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At Paris—Place 2
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AT BROOKSTON
T. BRYANT

Justice of Peace
PRECINCT 1, PLACE 1
JIM SHANKLIN (for second term)

LEGAL NOTICES
NOTICE
Paris, Texas, February 25, 1924. Pursuant to a resolution passed by the City Council of the City of Paris on the 27th day of February, 1924, I hereby give notice that an election by the qualified voters of the city of Paris will be held between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. on the first day of April, 1924, for the purpose of electing a mayor, an Alderman at Large, and four Aldermen for each of the four wards in said city, to serve for the next ensuing two years. The polling places and presiding officers of said election shall be respectively as follows:
Ward 1: Fire station, J. Sid Buford presiding officer.
Ward 2: Chamber of Commerce rooms, J. M. Brown presiding officer.
Ward 3: County court house, Ed Ausmus presiding officer.
Ward 4: Gooch building corner of Lamar and N. 21st street, T. P. Williams presiding officer.
The election to be held in accordance with the general laws of the State of Texas, in the event the same are applicable and not in conflict with the provisions of the charter.
Every resident of the city of Paris who has paid the poll tax and is qualified to vote for members of the legislature of the State and who has resided in the limits of the city for six months and in the ward in which he offers to vote for thirty days next preceding the election, is entitled to vote.
Given under my hand with the seal of the city of Paris affixed, this 28th day of February, A. D. 1924.
Mayor C. W. Dewese.
Attest: W. G. George, City Secretary.

HELP WANTED—MALE
EASTERN organization, expanding rapidly, has openings in Lamar and Red River counties for 2 ambitious men, selling experience not necessary, but desirable. Married men with autos preferred. Excellent future. Splendid earnings to start. Apply No. 10 Bailey Apartment, between 6 and 8 p. m.

The first high-power radio station in the Balkans is now being built near Belgrade.

Dier Kiss Face Powder 45c

JCP & Co.
West Side Plaza, Paris, Texas

UNDERWOOD HAS BIG ORGANIZATION

Bill Lea is Getting Every County in the State Lined up for Alabama Man

In its pioneer aspects the Underwood campaign in Texas is the story of a square jawed young man who believed with rare intensity and capacity for belief that the Alabama senator was the one great hope if the American form of government. Fired with that confident belief and with his own enthusiasm for fuel and not a dollar of campaign finances in sight, W. E. "Bill" Lea of Orange resigned the office of mayor of that

thriving port municipality and came to Dallas to direct a campaign that should cover all of Texas with a clearcut program and a single provision that to acquaint Texas and Texans with the merits of Oscar W. Underwood.

The campaign is entering its fifth month, but the enthusiasm of Lea is as full of the bloom of youth as it was when he turned over the reins of Orange government to other hands and came to Dallas.

"We have staked out a program broad as Texas itself," Mr. Lea said, "and we have invaded already a large portion of the State. Two months remain yet before the precinct conventions and before May 3 shall have arrived we mean to carry the message of Oscar W. Underwood into every single one of the 5600 precincts in Texas."

"Oscar Underwood was a popular figure before the American people in 1912 when Woodrow

Wilson was chosen as a victorious leader of the democrats of the nation. His name was presented before the Baltimore convention. When Wilson's election was accomplished Oscar W. Underwood returned to the house and there as leader of a great and unwieldy democratic majority wrote on the statute books of the United States great pieces of legislation that shall forever glorify the representative government of the United States.

"A little later he was elected to the senate from Alabama and there developed the unusual situation of a fledgling senator being called to the leadership of the most august legislative body in the world."

"When the final history of heroic accomplishments of Woodrow Wilson's administration shall have been written can any man deny that the most distinguished partner of that administration

shall be universally acclaimed as Oscar Underwood of Alabama?" Lea talks eloquently and with some heat in favor of his champion. As the mayor of Orange he was frequently in Washington representing the interests of the Sabine port district and came to have an overwhelming interest in Senator Underwood. In four months he has built up a political organization that reaches out to every senatorial district of Texas and gradually is encompassing every one of the 254 counties and more than 5600 precincts within the borders of the State."

TEXAS NEWSPAPERS FIFTY YEARS AGO

Fifty years ago there were twenty daily newspapers in Texas struggling for existence. Today there are one hundred thirteen. The total circulation of the newspapers at the half-century mark was around 8500, while the total circulation of the dailies now is approximately one-half million.

These figures are obtained from comparing newspaper directories of the two years. The directory published in 1874 is the property of H. A. McDougal, editor of the Tyler Courier-Times.

Texas was but fifty years old at that time, dating from the year when Stephen F. Austin led his band of pioneers into Texas. Perusal of the old directory shows the struggles the early publishers of Texas had. Circulation was small, their transportation facilities were limited and the gathering of news was a slow process. There were no type-setting machines and everything was done by hand. Compared to the finished machines and newspaper plants of today, the pioneer publishers' editions were the result of great manual labor.

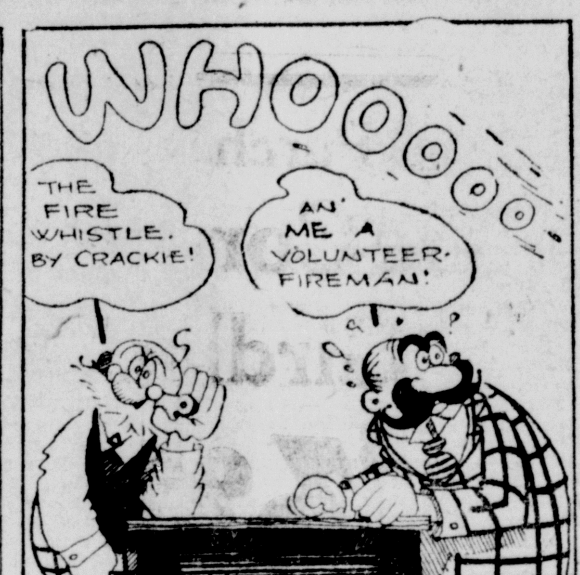
The old directory was published by George P. Rowell and com-

pany. Besides the twenty dailies, Texas had at that time 127 weekly papers, three tri-weekly, one semi-weekly and two monthly publications. The present newspaper directories show 315 newspapers and periodicals published in the State, divided into 113 dailies, 686 weeklies, 30 semi-weeklies, 1 tri-weekly, 11 semi-monthly, 59 monthly, 2 bi-monthly, 3 quarterly and one in which the issue is unknown.

Nine of the twenty dailies of fifty years ago were democratic in political views, four were republican, one an independent and six listed no political standing; 12 were morning papers and five afternoon papers, the time of issue of three not being shown.

The largest circulation of any one paper was 1850. That was the Galveston News. The Denton News showed the smallest circulation was 165. All of the papers were four pages in size.

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is strongly recommended by physicians for influenza, coughs and colds of all sorts. It affords almost instant relief.
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PHONES 37-38

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Cold Cream will help to keep skin lovely and smooth and prevent chapping in cold wet weather.
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PHONES 37-38

THAT COLD
will be helped by a properly prepared prescription. Let one of our three registered pharmacists serve you.
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PHONES 37-38

LITTLE MARY MIXUP



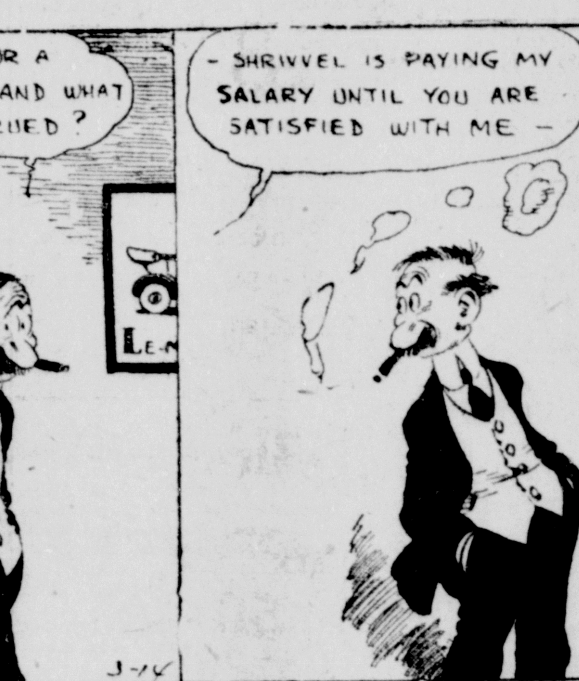
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are generally run down and have no appetite we recommend Stearns Wine. It is an excellent reconstructive, tonic and very pleasant to take.
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In stock at all times.
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YOU NEVER KNOW
when you are going to have car trouble on the dark country roads. A flashlight may save you hours of worry. We have a complete line of famous Yale brand. Also extra bulbs and batteries.
THE PALACE DRUG STORE
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Toasted Sandwiches
served daily at our fountain. Ask your friends to meet you here.
THE PALACE DRUG STORE
379—Phones—2055

JOE'S CAR



MAIN STREET



By VIC

This Winter

Paris has had its full share of contagious diseases which call for a thorough fumigation of your house afterwards. Our fumigators will do the trick.

THE PALACE DRUG STORE
379—Phones—2055

Pepsodent Coupons
Will be redeemed in our store. Clip them from Wednesday's issue of The Paris Morning News, present at our store and get your tube of tooth paste.

THE PALACE DRUG STORE
379—Phones—2055

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Clean and Clear

Written by Miss Ruby Whitlock
Atlas, Texas R. F. D. No. 1

"H. & K. Coffee looks clean. Even the wrapper has a sanitary appearance. The Vacuum can keeps it free from dust and dirt, and odors. Never have I found any impurities or little stones in it. I always buy the large three-pound can to have it in the house. Then, too, it is fresh and goes farther, and it is the best coffee we have ever used. I can't recommend it enough."



H&K COFFEE

Ruth Cross Had Many Discouragements But Lamar County Girl Has Made Good

BY WILL H. MAYES
(Head of the School of Journalism of the University of Texas.)

Ruth Cross, a Texas girl whose novel, *The Golden Cocoon*, has just been published by Harper & Brothers, furnishes a splendid example of what can be accomplished under the most adverse circumstances. From infancy her life has been handicapped, if not by extreme poverty, at least by the necessity for the practice of the most rigid economy in getting an education and in securing literary recognition.

In the rural schools of Lamar county she knew what it was to work like other girls of the poorer families of the cotton fields. When she graduated from the Paris High school, she had option of foregoing a university education for which she intensely longed; or of "working her way" through, and she chose to struggle rather than to follow the lines of least resistance.

She taught awhile and then went to school until her funds were all spent; and kept on teaching and attending the university of Texas alternately until she finally graduated with highest honors and the coveted membership in Phi Beta Kappa.

Poverty itself is discouraging to most persons, but as if to make an acid test of the girl's courage, her eyesight failed, and while teaching and studying she had to depend on friends—often on comparative strangers—to correct her school examination papers and read her studies aloud to her, for had only enough sight left to make her way about alone.

To make the golden key of Phi Beta Kappa is regarded as the supreme test of intellectual strength and effort, but to make it under such conditions requires prodigious struggle and concentration. Her lovable character won to her, in those trying school days, friends who took notes for her.



Ruth Cross

and to her, did everything but recite for her.

She had early decided that she would become a writer, and though her temporary affliction retarded her progress it did not daunt the spirit of Ruth Cross. She acquired a portable typewriter, learned the touch system, and soon began gathering plentiful rejection slips. These, numerous as they were, seemed to incite her to greater effort, and she stuck to her writing in spite of discouragements that would have driven most persons to despair.

The first fifteen years of her literary efforts, which really began when she was thirteen, brought her the sum total of \$65. One of the first magazines to re-

ognize this Texas girl was a Texas publication, *Rolland's Magazine*, which published a series of cotton field stories set in the surroundings so familiar to her childhood days. The *People's Home Journal* then accepted a novelette, "Question of Honor," which was afterward named with Anita Stewart in the reading list and is now being produced throughout the country.

A one act play of her is now running on the Keith circuit, and producers have under consideration two more of her plays. The Saturday Evening Post has accepted a story to be published soon, and Harper & Brothers have issued *The Golden Cocoon*, which looks like it may be one of the year's best sellers.

Between writing she has lived by housekeeping, subletting apartments, serving as traveling companion doing in the meantime, building and selling houses—but all the time writing, writing, writing.

The Golden Cocoon begins in the cotton fields. Miss Cross knows, so well, where Molly of the brood of "shittish Shannons," with her temper, her imagination, her intense individuality, has experiences that reach the heights and depths of human emotion.

It takes Molly through varied trying and thrilling experiences at the University of Texas, touches the social life of a great city, where Molly has much of the joy and more of the disappointment of a misplaced first love. Swift action hurries her to cruel New York of the literary struggler and then to the mansion of a great social and political leader, with such poignant reality that Molly's struggles and triumph become a part of your own experiences.

You sorrow with her and attain with her the "mountain tops of happiness," sharing with the once lowly and the now successful Molly an inward splendor and outward beauty in the world that you will not soon forget.

F. L. U. PLANS BIG BUILDING PROGRAM

Compress, Gin, Warehouse for Cotton, Plucking Plant for Poultry

(From the Dallas News)

It is expected that about \$200,000 will be spent in Dallas for housing projects of the Farm-Labor Union, following approval given Wednesday by the executive board of the organization of plans for the erection of a compress, gin and warehouse on a five or ten-acre tract near the leasing or construction of a turkey and poultry dressing plant and a warehouse for assembling and reshipping perishable products.

Members of the executive board will speak before other units of the Farm-Labor Union in support of the project, asking their approval of the plans. The work will be paid by assessing members a nominal sum for the production handled. It was said by A. M. Hilliard, State president.

The board will meet again in six weeks to make a final decision on the construction program.

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ROYAL CAFE

Try the Royal Cafe; neat place to eat. Regular meals and short orders. Open day and night. 72 Bonham street.

If you need a service car call 268.

CAPT. J. W. DICKEY III AT HIS ROSTON HOME

Constable Frank McPartridge of Roston reported Capt. J. W. Dickey, a Confederate veteran and old resident of Lamar county, quite ill at his home at that place. While alone he became ill on Wednesday and stepped to the telephone to call a doctor. Before he got connection the operator heard him fall on the floor and she telephoned to Mrs. Barnes, living across the street from him. Mrs. Barnes went over and found him lying on the floor unconscious. He was placed on the bed and a doctor summoned. He was getting along fairly well on Thursday.

Call 1587-F1 and we will give you the highest offer on your used furniture.

PARIS FURNITURE CO.
77-81 Bonham Street
Hoosier Cabinets
Perfection Oil Stoves

If you need a service car call 268.

PASSENGERS DELAYED BY THE SNOWSTORM

Number 2 Price passenger train which arrives from the north a little after 5 o'clock in the morning, was several hours late Thursday on account of the big snow storm up the road, and the Santa Fe didn't wait for it. Several through passengers had to lie over in Paris and take the afternoon train.

PERSONAL

E. W. Edwards of Omaha, Nebraska county, was in Paris Thursday.

J. W. Young, who lives on the South Plains in Martin county,

Shake Into Your Shoes

And sprinkle in the foot-bath Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic, healing powder for Tired, Swollen, Smarting, Sweating feet. It takes the friction from the shoe, prevents blisters and sore spots and takes the sting out of corns and bunions. Always use Allen's Foot-Ease to break in new shoes and enjoy the bliss of feet without an ache. Those who use Allen's Foot-Ease have solved their foot troubles. Sold everywhere. Trial package and a Foot-Ease Walking Doll sent free. Address ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, L. Roy, N. Y.

Ford Wanted

If you have a good Ford touring car and want to get rid of it at a reasonable price write your terms to me at once: CAR, care of The News.

For moving stores, crating call 479

The gentlemen who accompanied us on the excursion to West Texas (Galveston county just west of Lamesa) last week were so well pleased with the country that 9 out of the 10 who were looking for land purchased from one-fourth to half section besides buying several town lots in the new town of Boydell. We did not intend making another trip until the 15th, but there was a number of parties who were so anxious to go last Tuesday, the 11th, that Mr. Roche accompanied another party of 8 who are looking for cotton land.

We will have another excursion out on Tuesday, the 13th. Fare for round trip only \$12, which will cover all expenses of railroad fare, Pullman, meals and automobile trip.

Please make your reservation not later than Monday next.

UPTON & ROCHE
Phone 1095. First Nat'l Bank.

For moving stores, crating call 479

COLLIE DOG KILLED BY A LIVE WIRE

R. H. Russell, who lives on South Twenty-third street, lost a fine collie dog by electrocution Thursday morning. An electric light wire in front of the house broke down from the weight of snow and the dog came in contact with it.

The dog was instantly glued to the wire and was burned to death before it could be rescued. Its body was partly consumed and burned black.

If you need a service car call 268.

J. C. Pace, roof fitter, paper hanger and painter. Phone 655-J.

MEXICAN QUAIL ON EXHIBITION

Tom Fisher Says They Talk Border Mex but Thinks They Will Learn Texas Talk

Twenty-four Mexican Bob Whites arrived Thursday afternoon and are stopping temporarily at Marchbanks & Dohoney's, where they are attracting a lot of attention.

They are just like the Texas Bob White and all are young birds. They were closely examined at the border for any signs of disease and appear to be very healthy. Game Warden Dalton is in Marshall, and to whom he has allotted the quails is not definitely known; beyond the fact that the Lamar county club is to get six pairs of them; having an ideal place on which to rear the birds.

They will be released at the grounds and left to make their own arrangements as to going to housekeeping; which they will do within a very short time.

The quails are now pairing and it will not take a long time for them to become habituated to their new surroundings.

Tom Fisher closely studied the birds for a time, and declared that they are talking "border Mex" to each other. He didn't recognize the word of Texan in their conversation but did catch several of the Mexican lingo which he recognized. "Manana" and "tequila" were often repeated among the cock birds, while the birds were saying "nighty little, as is the custom among the well trained Mexican females.

He thought they might like some tamales or enchiladas but they took to wheat and cracked corn in a natural manner and had a big feed for a start.

THE EUZELIAN CLASS OF THE FIRST BAPTIST

The Euzelian class of the First Baptist church met Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock for their monthly business and social meeting.

The meeting was opened with prayer by Dr. Wright, who also conducted the lesson on "What Baptists Believe." The young people of the church who are not attending these meetings are certainly missing something, for they are really interesting and instructive.

After the lesson a brief business session was held and a number of important matters were discussed.

During the social hour, delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Frank Ford's band. The next meeting will be held the first Tuesday afternoon in April.

NEW ERA CLASS FIRST METHODIST IN CONTEST

The New Era class contest will close in three more Sundays. It is up to each side to show what

POMONA MAYONNAISE

Is An Ever-Ready Servant in the House

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN MEN MEET THIS EVE

This evening at 6:45 the men of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the Sunday school. Supper will be served by circle No. 4 in charge of Mrs. Jeffries. A special program has been arranged consisting of solos, readings and

they really can do in three remaining Sunday. If you can't get a new pupil, at least ask a visitor. The handicap with the Baptist has been increased from 33 to 50 percent; that means we are going to have to work. Bring yourself, a new pupil, all the loose change you can get and show up at Sunday school at 9:30 sharp. We make it a point to stay for church.

BEREAN CLASS OF FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Berean class of the First Presbyterian church will meet Sunday morning at the usual time and an interesting program will be given on the subject "The Reign of David."

The scripture will be based on portion of the 7th and 8th chapters of I Samuel and the theme for discussion will be "The Reign of David's Life."

Introduction by Mrs. F. C. Germon.

David's Inquiries of the Lord—Mrs. J. E. Warren.

David's Attitude Toward God—Mrs. B. E. Baldwin.

The Coronation of David and The Bringing up of the Ark—Miss Mary Daniel.

David and the Temple and Why He Should Build It—Mrs. Burdette.

David's Great Sin—Mrs. Hodges.

The Man after God's Heart—Miss Little Dickinson.

David's Throne Eternal—Mrs. Dickson.

David's Greater Sin—Mrs. Shisum.

The heart of the lesson discussed by the class.

Every member of the class is urged to be present at this meeting. Visitors always welcome.

MRS. W. L. STOKES AT P. C. C. PRAYER SERVICE

In Mrs. W. L. Stokes' talk at Paris Commercial college prayer service last evening, she likened some Christians to posters. "They have to tell they are Christians; no one can tell it by their lives. She told a story of Henry Ford who was getting out some cars under contract and had to get them out in a very short time. The only way he would permit them to be delivered was "war finished," so if they came to pieces shortly afterward, the government would have no come back at him.

If we would only read the Bible as a character yardstick, how much better the people in this world would be. Our lives demand justice, charity and mercy. God is able to give us justice, but we can be merciful and charitable in our talk and actions. Slander against our neighbors is practiced by so many of us, most of the time, just thoughtlessly done. Most of us would be far better and could do more good if we would put our hands into God's and look to Him for help.

BONHAM ST. METHODIST PRAYER SERVICE

An unusually good attendance was present at the midweek prayer service of the Bonham street Methodist church Wednesday evening. Rev. L. D. Shawver conducted the lesson on Paul and gave some interesting facts about his work and life. Mr. Shawver is conducting a series of talks on the merits and deeds of Paul; and they are truly interesting. If you want to study and know about Paul and his works you are invited to hear these services every Wednesday evening at the Bonham street Methodist church.

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where he is engaged in farming, is here on a visit to his parents and other relatives. Before moving to Martin county seven years ago he farmed in Lamar county several years southeast of Paris near Milton.

Pete Watson and Lonnie Turner of Fulbright spent Thursday night in Paris.

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SHUT-INS

W. K. Long, who has been a patient at the sanitarium for a month is now able to be up most of the

time and enjoy visits from his friends who may wish to call.

The condition of Mrs. T. G. Henley, who suffered a slight stroke of paralysis Wednesday, was thought to be a little improved Thursday.

A. E. Bell, an old resident of the Minter community who celebrated his golden wedding not long ago, has been quite sick for several days, but is improved.

H. M. Smith is confined to his home with flu.

Walter Richmond of Clarksville was operated on a few days ago at a local infirmary for appendicitis and is getting along well.

Mrs. Pinkie Abshire, who was operated on a few days ago at a local infirmary, is getting along nicely.

E. H. Shelton of Omaha, Morris county, an ex-service man, was operated on Wednesday at a local infirmary and is doing well.

Takes pills for years—finds first permanent relief in Kellogg's Bran

Have you found permanent relief from that terrible disease—constipation? The woman whose letter follows discovered—as thousands have discovered—that Kellogg's Bran succeeds when all else fails. This is because Kellogg's Bran is ALL Bran. Nothing but ALL Bran can be so effective. This is what she wrote:

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Every morning I take two tablespoons before my breakfast—and since the latter part of August I must admit have not experienced one sick spell which I have had for years. I have started my little girl

of four years on your Bran, and already I have noticed a change in her. I thank you."

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If eaten regularly, Kellogg's Bran, cooked and krumbled, is guaranteed to relieve permanently the most chronic cases of constipation. Eat at least two tablespoons daily—in chronic cases, with every meal. Money returned if not effective.

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Do you know
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These Prices last
only through Satur-
day.

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BLOSSOM HAD A
HEAVY SNOWFALL

Was the Heaviest Which Has
Fallen There in a Number
of Years

BLOSSOM, March 12.—The
deepest snow that has been seen
here in a number of years fell
last night and continued to
fall throughout most of the day.
Fences, trees and hedges are cov-
ered in a soft snow, presenting a
most beautiful and spectacular pic-
ture.

F. A. Hooker and C. M. Ter-
rell of Paris were here on business
yesterday.

McAlister of Detroit was a
Blossom visitor yesterday.
Mrs. A. J. Rush and daughters,
Mrs. Fred Skaggs and Miss Rush,
were guests of relatives in Paris
Wednesday.

Carl Griffin was transacting busi-
ness at State Shoals yesterday af-
ternoon.

Miss D. C. Chambers and Eva
Brewer were shopping in Paris
yesterday.

Rev. and Mrs. M. J. Guthrie of
Paris were guests of friends here
Wednesday.

A message was received here yester-
day by Homer Smith announce-
ing the death of his sister, Mrs.
Annie Pennybacker of Ripley.
Miss Pennybacker died at her home there
on March 11. The deceased, who was a
former resident of this county, was the
daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Smith of Syl-
van, and was well known in this
vicinity, where she had many warm
friends who learned of her death
with the deepest regret. She is
survived by her husband, three
sons, one daughter, and five bro-
thers, Homer, Smith of Blossom,
Onda, Jesse and Ed Smith of Syl-
van, and Dr. J. G. Smith of Port Arthur.

Miss Dorothy Flenniken has re-
turned from an extended visit with
relatives and friends in Paris.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Courcy and
Miss Lena Griffin were Paris vis-
itors today.

Page's Chapel

Health is very good at present.
Sunday school had a very small
attendance on account of the bad
weather.

Rev. Walter D. Thompson filled
his regular appointment here the
first Sunday.

We were glad to see him because
we all enjoy his sermons.

Claud Young cut his leg with a
saw and has been unable to walk
without the aid of crutches, for
the past month. He is able to lay
his legs and move about.

The B. Y. P. U. play was largely
attended Sunday night.

Bro. W. T. Woody of Powderly
was with us Sunday and Sunday
night. He liked the play so well
he insisted on its bringing it over
there, which will be Saturday
night, March 15.

Miss Ruby Page gave a high-
day dinner Sunday and invited all
the young people to her home. The
guests were Mr. and Mrs. Claude
Pace, Jessie Jetton, Misses
Edith and Thelma Raden, Lula
Nelson, and Berry and William
Norrell.

The people of this community
who went to town Saturday had
a hard time coming home. Sam
Hawthorn and daughters, Josie
and Anna did not start home
they spent the night with their
landlord, Mr. Bird.

Rev. Breddove of Chicago will
preach here Sunday afternoon.

Our school will last two weeks
longer. We are going to have a
concert Friday night, March 21.
Everybody come. We think it will
be a good one.

BAPTISTS ARE TO
EDUCATE NEGROES

NASHVILLE, Tenn., March 12.—
Members of the governing board
of the American Baptist Theologi-
cal Seminary, said to be the first
distinctly theological seminary
for negroes in the world, at a
special session here today, voted to
sign new charters committing an in-
vestigation faculty and curricu-
lum and provided for the open-
ing of the institution in September.

Collier says "New Orleans had
its General Butler and Philadel-
phia has hers." The Philadel-
phia article seems to spare the
citizen's silverware, but he breaks
their glass.

The area of the Island of Ceylon
is about the same as that of West
Virginia and it has more people
than there are in Texas.

There are about 1,500,000 acres
in the seven National forests of
the southern Appalachian region.

A new high-power wireless sta-
tion using a wave length of 16,000
meters is to be placed in opera-
tion in South Africa in about
eighteen months.

After July 1 the thickness of a
standard board of lumber will be
25-32 of an inch with a proviso
that 25-32 inch boards in special
specifications.

There are at least 500 silver fox
ranches in the United States, where
the fur traders have a total of
from 12,000 to 15,000 of the ani-
mals in captivity. About \$8,000-
000 is invested in this industry.

In Japan, small fish are caught
at night with the aid of jacklights,
by trained comorants, principally
Barras are tied around the throats
of the fishing birds to prevent their
swallowing the catch. When their
pouches are filled they are emptied
in the boat well.

There are about 1,750,000,000
persons in the world. The total
doubled in the last century.

According to some authorities
the surface of the human body is
about sixteen square feet.

Ostriches do not seem to under-
stand the uselessness of ice and
may fall and break their legs if
allowed access to frozen ponds.

The famous Liberty Bell in In-
dependence Hall, Philadelphia
will be placed on continuous ex-
hibition behind an ironwork grill.

A tonoz, 10x17 inches, weighing
about 100 pounds, has been sent
to the Field museum of Chicago by
a gem hunter in Brazil.

Effigies carved 20,000 years ago
and found in caves in France
would indicate that the neolithic
type was prevalent in France at
an early date.

Pocket zophers, living near Los
Angeles, show no appreciable dif-
ferences from the fossil zophers
which lived in California 200,000
years ago.

Short Talks with
Visitors to Paris

B. F. Rice, who lives two miles
south of Blossom, was among the
few visitors from the country
Thursday, stated that there
was very little land out there to
be broke yet. Oats have all been
sown, but there has been very
little corn planted. The oats are
beginning to come up. The ground
stayed wet so long that it made
people later about sowing oats.
There is a little ground that has
not yet been broke. It depends
on the weather to his opinion, from
now on as to whether the corn will
have to be replanted. They have
a good oats acreage in his neigh-
borhood, he said, and he doesn't
think the cotton acreage will be
increased.

Joe T. Pattison of the Pleasant
Hill community, who was in the
city Thursday, stated that there
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B. F. Davidson of Cunningham
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ly in the way of farming in a long
time. A lot of them had a lot of
land bedded before Christmas, but
that is all the good it has done
them. A few have planted corn
and the sowing of oats has been
finished. Just a few oats have been
sown around in little patches and
they don't amount to anything. In
his opinion the cotton acreage will
not be increased.

Rev. H. N. Simmons of the
Shady Grove community stated
while in the city Thursday that
they haven't done anything hard-
ly in the way of farming in a long
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not be increased.

W. R. Bills of Reno said that
the cold wet weather that has pre-
vailed just after corn was planted
may cause it to rot in the ground.
The land has nearly all been broke
and a lot of corn has been
planted. North of Reno there will
be a good many peanuts raised
and they will devote their atten-
tion to truck crops, nearly alto-
gether. Since the first Saturday
and the big snow it will be at least
the middle of next week before
they can farm any more. The
snow wet the ground worse than
rain would have wet it.

D. D. McFadden, living seven
miles south of Paris, said that they
like good deal of having all the
land broke down his way. A very
few have planted corn and it is apt
to rot from the water from the
snow soaking into it. The cotton
acreage will not be decreased
any this year, in his opinion. He

ANN ARBOR, Mich., March
12.—An old estimated at \$100-
00 has been found here in a se-
cret compartment of an old house
which was being torn down, ac-
cording to Adrian Smith, who is
demolishing the building. The
money, in an iron box, was found
on the second floor in a panel in
the wall, according to the state-
ment of Leevee.

The house was built in 1860 by
Jackson D. Knight, then president
of the First National Bank here.
Knight and his wife have been
dead thirty years. The house has
been occupied by Knight's one
daughter, Clara, who died some
time ago. When her death it was
sold to William Nelson.

The money is being held by
12-year-old son of the late Mr. &
Mrs. As far as can be ascertained
Knight has no near relatives living.

INTELLIGENT DOG
SAVED THE FAMILY

DESMONDS, Tex., March 12.—
A bulldog belonging to Mr. and
Mrs. James Heister, saved their
home from being destroyed by
fire last night. The fire originated
in the kitchen, supposedly from
a box of matches. The dog was
sleeping on the porch next to the
kitchen and awakened the family
by his vicious barking.

OPEN PORT LAW
INVOLVED IN APPEAL

AUSTIN, Texas, March 12.—The
State open port law is involved in
an appeal in the case of A. W.
Radford, given on year in Potter
county for an alleged assault on
W. S. Mullen, guard on the Pan-
handle and Santa Fe railroad.
The assault is said to have oc-
curred during the railroad strike last
July.

HONORS PAID WHEN
DENBY GOT HOME

DETROIT, March 12.—An es-
cort of automobiles and airplanes
met Edwin Denby and escorted
him to City Hall when he arrived
from Washington this afternoon.
A salute of bombs greeted the
former secretary of the navy when
he alighted from the train.

Westminster is receiving a coat
of whitewash to prevent it from
rotting.

Prior to 1825 all women's shoes
were made without heels.

A frog and a lizard, previously
unknown to science, were recently
found in Colombia.

Bessemer steel was first made in
this country in September, 1854, at
an experimental plant at Wyand-
otte, Mich.

It is intended next year to erect
a chain of radio stations to con-
nect mining camps in the Mac-
donald river valley in Northern
Canada.

Mrs. Rosita Forbes, the English
explorer, who recently returned
from a trip to Morocco, where she
visited the celebrated bandit, Rai-
suli, has been presented with the
grand gold medal of the French
Geographical society.

The annual sales of talcum pow-
der, cold cream, rouge lipsticks
and toilet powder amount to \$750-
000,000, or about \$15 for every
woman in America.

A pear tree brought from Eng-
land by Governor John Endicott of
the Massachusetts Bay colony, in
1630, is still bearing fruit on the
spot it was planted at Davenport,
Mass.

The Spanish government pro-
poses to appropriate 100,000,000
pesetas for agricultural develop-
ment, part of this money to be
used for the purchase of machin-
ery, fertilizers, seeds and other
farming material.

Between 1914 and 1923 the
number of Baptists in Russia has
increased from 100,000 to 2,000-
000, according to the president of
the Baptist World Congress.
are given free.

WASHINGTON, March 12.—The
adjusted compensation bill was to-
day ordered sent to the house by
the ways and means committee.
Three republican members of all
of them representatives of the veterans'
bloc, voted against the order and
objected to the plan agreed upon.
The bill, which framed the bonus
takes the form of an endowment
insurance policy, fully paid up, to
run for twenty years; carrying
the amount allotted to each vet-
eran plus 4 per cent compounded
annually.

Chairman Green will ask for a
special rule, thus shutting off any
amendments from the floor and
forcing a direct vote upon the bill
if it is passed. He stated that
the bill can be disposed of in one
day's time under such a rule.

A revised estimate places the to-
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